

## BOTH MURDER AND SUICIDE.

### Rev. Frank Lee Poisons His Son, Then Blows His Own Brains Out.

### INSANE WHILE THE DEED WAS DONE.

A Sketch of the Dead Man's Career—A Farmer Kills a Farmer in Tazewell—Ministers at War—Over the State.

ALEXANDRIA, VA., June 15.—[Special.]—Rev. Frank Lee murdered his son and succeeded today while under a fit of insanity.

The man who looks a ter the Lee place, out on the Leesburg pike, near the Episcopal High School, and the man and boy who live in the old tenement on the hill-top here, could not get in to-day, and at noon went to the school for advice.

A number of persons accompanied him back about dinner time, and finding the doors and windows all locked and bolted within, broke open the front door with an axe, and on reaching the bed-room discovered the dead bodies on the bed.

BOTH LAY DEAD.

The boy lay breathless, as if asleep, the man with one arm around the boy, the other at his side, the hand clutching a revolver. There was a small stream of blood on the pillow, then quite dry. A bullet wound in the left side of the head behind the ear, and a nearly empty bottle of chloroform were all that were left to tell the tale.

The man was Rev. Francis Dupont Lee, and the boy was "Bunchy," his nine-year-old son. Mr. Lee was fourth son of the late Cassius F. Lee, was born in this city about thirty-eight years ago, and after graduating from the University took office courses and later on graduated at the Theological Seminary with the class of '75.

LOVED AS A PASTOR.

He was called to and served Leesburg parish in West Virginia, and another in North Carolina and preached elsewhere, returning here on account of ill health or a brain trouble.

About ten years ago he married Miss Annie, daughter of the late R. Allen Taylor, and they had two bright children blessed their union. Some three years ago she returned to her mother's side, saying she was afraid to live with Frank. She brought the child with her, but he came in and children and took them back and her brother in course of time went back and brought them on by force.

LOVED HIS FATHER.

The boy loved his father dearly and his father was devoted to him, and a couple of months ago, after his grandma's death, he came and took the boy back, threatening any one who should molest him, and the boy has been together continually, and the boy seemed contented with his lot. The father is said to have had spells of aberration of the mind, and it was possibly in one of these yesterday that he concluded to lock up the house, give the child a drink and send a bullet crashing through his head. No affair has ever caused such general sorrow. No woman in the city more worthy of sympathy than the mother of the unfortunate child, and all know Mr. Lee esteemed him for his fine qualities and intellectual attainments.

HIGHLY CONNECTED.

He was a second cousin of General Lee and his wife is connected with the old Henderson, Lamar, Fowle, Cazenove and Taylor families of ante-bellum times.

Mrs. Lee was reported prostrated to-night, and none of the Taylors or Lees will say much on the subject.

Undertaker W. H. Hays has taken charge of the two bodies, and to-morrow afternoon they will be brought in from the old place together and laid with each other among the Lees sleeping in Old Christ church burying-ground.

PETERSBURG.

Sixteenth Anniversary of Y. M. C. A.—Coupons Cases in Court—Closing of the Schools.

PETERSBURG, VA., June 15.—[Special.]—The celebration of the sixteenth anniversary of the organization of the Young Men's Christian Association of Petersburg took place at the Tabernacle Presbyterian church last night, and so large was the assemblage that many were unable to obtain seats.

The churches in the city were closed in order to give the several congregations an opportunity to attend the celebration. The pastors of the several churches occupied seats in the pulpit. Hon. J. M. Shallen, Commonwealth's attorney of Petersburg, presided.

The exercises were opened with congregational singing, "Oh, Wondrous Name," followed with prayer by Rev. A. C. Bledsoe, pastor of Washington street M. E. church. Next followed congregational singing, "Labor On." The singing of this hymn was followed by the reading of a portion of the 14th chapter of Acts by Rev. C. R. Haines, rector of St. Paul's Episcopal church.

The annual report of the general secretary of the association, Mr. Hugh Cousins, was next read by that gentleman. It gives a very encouraging account of the good that has been and is still being done by the association. Captain L. L. Marks, president of the association, next read his annual report, which consisted in the main of a full description of the new hall the association proposes to build.

According to President Marks' report the association has purchased two very desirable lots on Sycamore street as a site for the new hall and has \$20,000, but they want \$10,000 more. It is hoped that the amount will soon be raised so that work can be begun on the building.

The report of the ladies' auxiliary, of which Mrs. W. L. Watkins is president, was then read by Rev. Thomas Spencer, showing what has been accomplished by that society during the past twelve months. The reading of this report was followed by congregational singing, "O, Where are the Reapers?"

The annual address before the association was made by Rev. G. L. Petrie, D. D., of Charlottesville. The address was on the subject, "The Bible of To-Day—What it is Worth to Us."

The address was a very able one and was heard with the strictest attention. The meeting was brought to a close with the benediction by Rev. J. W. Roseboro, pastor of Tabernacle Presbyterian church.

The Circuit Court of Petersburg, Judge B. A. Hancock presiding, has been engaged today in the trial of coupon cases. There are thirty-six cases to be disposed of, and a separate jury has been summoned in each case. The Commonwealth is represented by Judge H. W. Mann, of Nottoway county, and Hon. J. M. Mullen, of Petersburg. Colonel R. L. Maury is counsel for the petitioners. In the case of John C. Coe, counsel for the State demurred to the petition for the reason that section 406 of the Code of 1887, under which the petition was filed, requires that a "petitioner shall allege that a certain coupon was tendered in payment of his taxes, &c.," while the petition only described the coupon.

The court overruled the demurrer and judgment was given the petitioner. The white and colored public schools of Petersburg closed to-day. The exercises were very simple and consisted only of the awarding of certificates of distinction and medals to the successful pupils. The medalists or graduates at the High School were Henry Turner, Robert A. Martin, Fannie W. Allen, Maudie Hobbs, Annie Harrison, Lottie H. Lingworth, Willie H. Hays, Mary Alexander, Janet Bernard, Carrie Allgood and Ada Bond.

The baccalaureate sermon before the young ladies of the Southern Female College was preached at the Washington-street Methodist Episcopal church yesterday morning by Rev. J. W. Roseboro. The sermon was an able one and was heard with strict attention by a large congregation.

HAMPDEN-SYDNEY.

The Baccalaureate Sermon Preached by Bishop Randolph.

HAMPDEN-SYDNEY, June 15.—[Special.]—This is the season of commencements. It opened at this place yesterday by the preaching of the baccalaureate sermon from the 13th verse of the 1st chapter of Isaiah, "The Lord will be glorified in all his ways." These exercises were presided over by Bishop Randolph. "But let us, who are of the day be so, putting on the breast-plate of faith and love, for a helmet the hope of salvation." The sermon was mainly confined to the first portion of the text, in which the minister showed

what was meant by those "who are of the day" and how they are to be "sober" in the truest and best sense of real Scriptural temperance, applied to the body, the mind, the conscience, and the soul. It was an admirable sermon, calculated to do great good to those who gave it their attention, and to lead them to control themselves as to eating, drinking, raiment, and all inordinate affections, tempers and propensities, and as to self-conceit and vanity. The sermon was greatly enjoyed, and at its close he made an effective and touching appeal to the young graduates to learn the essential principles of self-control.

To-night the inter-collegiate contest takes place in College church. There are twelve contestants from six colleges. Union Society has its celebration Tuesday night and Philanthropic Society on Wednesday night. Both thropic Society on Wednesday morning. Society will be addressed Wednesday morning by Rev. L. B. Shearer, D. D., of Davidson College, and the alumni will be represented in an address by Professor Winston, of Richmond College. The graduating exercises and delivery of diplomas take place on Thursday morning.

PARSONS AT WAR.

A Methodist Orders Mormons Out of His House—Two Deaths.

DANVILLE, VA., June 15.—[Special.]—Two Mormon preachers appeared at Cascade, in this county, a few days ago and called upon Rev. H. J. Brown, pastor of the Methodist church there, to ask his permission to speak in his church. Mr. Brown refused on the ground that their doctrine was pernicious. The Mormons flatly told Brown he was lying, whereupon he ordered them to leave his house or he would call the police. They left Cascade and went to Burnt Chimney neighborhood, where they preached several times.

Friday afternoon a waterspout from a dark and angry cloud, fell considerable damage to the crops in the Mount Vernon section of this county, deluged the earth and overflowed the streams. It, however, extended over a small area.

Captain William Thomas, supposed to be the oldest citizen in this county, died yesterday. He was born in 1792, and has been drawing a pension for many years. Captain Thomas' age was not definitely known, but he was believed to be over a hundred.

Mrs. Sarah A. Lipscomb, and Robert Lipscomb, of this city, died yesterday afternoon.

Two freight trains on the Richmond and Danville railroad collided near Readsville this morning. The freight train was running north-bound engine seeing the collision inevitable reversed the engine and jumped off leaving the throttle open. The engines were but slightly damaged by the collision, but the reversed and started backward without an engineer and struck through the tump of Readsville like a whirlwind. It went until the water in the pipes was exhausted and the flues burned, when it came to a stop twelve miles from where it started on its wild run. No further damage was done.

CHARLOTTE COUNTY.

Pastor Installed—A Man Cut in Half by a Train.

KEYSVILLE, VA., June 15.—[Special.]—Yesterday was a big day at Ash Camp Baptist church, in Keysville. It had been extensively announced that the new pastor, Rev. W. C. Foster, would be installed, and as this was something new in this church and of the most important nature, the congregation was very large.

At 8 o'clock the Rev. W. T. Clark opened the services with prayer, and the choir sang "All hail, the power of Jesus name." The address of welcome on behalf of the church was delivered by Rev. W. T. Clark, and after music Major J. W. Morton delivered the address of welcome on behalf of the community at large.

The charge to the church was then given by Dr. F. Winston, of Farmville, and the charge to the pastor by Rev. W. C. Foster, of the Presbyterian church, to all of which Rev. W. C. Foster responded in a very appropriate manner, and after a prayer by Rev. J. F. Crawford the congregation was dismissed with the benediction by the pastor. Yesterday morning as the train from Durham was within a mile of town the engineer saw ahead of him about twenty yards a man lying across the rail. The train was going down grade and it was impossible to stop it. The man was cut in half and his head lay bare on the ground. He was found to be Mr. Tom White, from Lanesburg county, who I learn left Keysville late Saturday night considerably under the influence of liquor. He was a young man, but leaves a wife and children.

ALEXANDRIA.

The State Senator—Corner-stone Laying—Funeral of Mr. R. S. Widdiecomb.

ALEXANDRIA, VA., June 15.—[Special.]—Mr. R. Walton Moore, State Senator of this district, positively declines a renomination. Captain George A. Muehbach will be nominated doubtless by acclamation. Mr. Alexander J. Wedderburn, of Progress, announces his (W. C.) candidacy, but people are done with such a record.

Yesterday the Shiloh colored Baptists had a great meeting—laying the corner-stone of their new church. It was a tremendous gathering. James H. Hayes, of Richmond, the head of the colored Masonic fraternity in Virginia, was the orator. A large number of members were trapped into the corner-stone, were seceded out and a Bible, newspapers, etc., substituted.

George A. Taylor, a Washington man, was arrested here for larceny last week. He was released on Saturday on paying \$22.10 as fine. A number of persons of this city went to Washington yesterday and thence to Arlington to attend the obsequies of the late Mr. Robert S. Widdiecomb, who was with the Army (Fryer Steamship Company here. The service was held at the M. E. church, and the burial was with Masonic honors in Arlington Cemetery.

FARMER KILLS FARMER.

A Young Man Killed by a Train—Death of Hugh Corrigan.

LYNNBURG, VA., June 15.—[Special.]—The new electric street-cars are reported to have carried as many as 2,900 passengers yesterday, though the route is not yet entirely completed.

Hugh Corrigan, of this city, died yesterday. He was an old and highly esteemed citizen and a native of Ireland.

A young man from Campbell county named George Pratt was instantly killed Friday evening at Graham by being run over by the freight train while walking along the track. He was in the employ of a Virginia Lumber Company and his remains were brought here to-day on their way to his former home of Hartsburg.

Two farmers named Christian and Mosely became involved last Friday in a personal difficulty near Cedar Bluffs, in Tazewell county, wherein Mosely was instantly killed by a shotgun in the hands of the former. Christian is in jail.

Judge Joseph Christian, of Richmond, is in this city to-day.

BOTETOURT COUNTY.

Fight Between Wets and Drys—A Convict Instantly Killed.

GALA, VA., June 15.—[Special.]—The "wets" and "drys" of Eagle Rock had a considerable fight at the last term of the County Court as to whether whisky should be sold at the public house, which resulted in another victory for the "drys." Judge Simmons refused to grant further license to Messrs. S. S. Hope and W. W. Cash on account of violations of the minor and Sunday law, as was mentioned some weeks ago in THE TIMES. So Mr. W. C. Wolf, of this place, rented the bar-room from Mr. Cash, and the contest was on.

He (Wolf) died his application and the case came up last week. After a careful hearing Judge Simmons rendered his decision, as heretofore, with the remark "I will not issue license for Eagle Rock, as I feel as if I had the blood of two men on my hands already." An appeal was taken, and the matter will be finally decided by Judge Blair at Salem to-day. A good deal of interest is manifested as to what his decision will be.

While the convicts under the management of Messrs. Howard & Sears were at work last Sunday on the Craig Mineral railroad a heavy steel rail fell off the car, and one of the convicts was instantly killed.

## TENNY, TOURNAMENT, TEA TRAY

The Three Favorites in the Great Suburban Handicap To-day.

ODDS IN THE LITTLE SWAYBACK'S FAVOR.

Closing Day at Morris Park—Results of the Races at the Various Tracks—The Base-Ball Games.

NEW YORK, June 15.—[Special.]—GREAT has been the interest in the passing events at Gravesend and Morris Park since the opening of the season that little attention has been paid to the Suburban Handicap, but the race is now on, and the odds are in the favor of the Swayback's favor.

at Sheephead Bay. Book-makers report far less speculation than in former years, and the once famous race is scarcely more money. English Laid to in turf gossip, than casually alluded to in turf gossip. Tenny, the favorite, is now in the money, but the price against Tenny is gradually getting less, while Tea Tray is quoted at 10 to 1; Raceland, 20; Prince Royal, 20; Clarendon, 15; Major Domo, 25; Cassius, 25; Judge Morrow, 15; and Burlington, 25. Tenny was marked full on nearly every advance book when she injured herself in her work. Money bet on the great mare is as good as lost.

PRINCIPAL STARTERS.

The Suburban is to the Americans what the Derby is to the English, and if we have the usual success in the race, it will show a good condition. It is safe to say that fully 30,000 people will witness the race. The list of probable starters for the great event is smaller than usual, but it is a matter of congratulation as it will show a true rein race. The probable starters are: Tenny, who carries the top weight of 123 pounds; Tea Tray, 118; Riley, 125; Raceland, 124; Judge Morrow, 123; Demuth, 116; Cassius, 115; Diablo, 115; Bangert, 110; Loantaka, 110; Fitz James, 108; Drizzle, 107; English Lady, 107; Major Domo, 105; Isaac, 105; Lewis, 105; and Kio, 105. Tenny will go to the post a warm favorite, as the public generally and nearly all the trainers look upon him as a sure winner. There is a general consensus of opinion that Tenny has but one real rival in the race and that Tea Tray will push him, but take second place only.

THE "DARK HORSE."

In these duels, however, another horse is likely to step in and get the second place. English Lady is a quiet tip for that honor, and she is now trained to that. Riley will make his presence felt when the rush for the finish comes, and Major Domo's owners expect him to do great things. In fact, all the horses in the race will be in the race. Saturday and Sunday's work of the most prominent horses in the race is: Tenny, 2:09½; Tea Tray, 2:10; Diablo, public trial in race with Kingston, 2:07½; Fitz James, 2:02½; English Lady, 2:11; Cassius, 2:14½; English Lady, 2:11; Domino, 2:14. The exact nature of the work of the others has not yet transpired. It is more than likely to prove a great race, and while indications point to Tenny or Tea Tray, it is no certainty for these great horses until they have received the verdict of the judges.

THE ENTRIES.

Following are the entries for the suburban handicap at Sheephead Bay to-day:

First race, five eighths of a mile—Eon, Volunteer, 124; Civil Service, Tormentor, 122; Correction, Fairy, Annie, 120; Summary, Hoodlum, 107; Sequences (colt), 105; Lillian, 103; Second, Favorite, 102.

Second race, five eighths of a mile—Double event—Nomad, St. John, 125; King Mac, Air Pilot, Victory, Vestibule, His Highness, 118; Otmar, 113.

Third race, mile and six sixteenths—Sallina, Algernon, Portchester, 112; Kitty T., 110; Lillian, 107; Sequences (colt), 105; Lillian, 103; Second, Favorite, 102.

Fourth race, mile and a quarter—The great Suburban Handicap—Tenny, 123; Riley, 125; Raceland, 124; Judge Morrow, 123; Tea Tray, 118; Demuth, 116; Cassius, 115; Bangert, 110; Loantaka, 110; Fitz James, 108; Drizzle, 107; English Lady, 107; Major Domo, 105; Isaac, Lewis, Odette, 95; Rico, 90.

Fifth race, one mile and one eighth—Tristan, 108; Terrier, 111; Strideaway, Gallifant, Jim, 104; Bernada, 107; Jack High, 104; Abi, 101; 102.

Sixth race, one mile on turf—Spring turf stakes—Madstone, St. John, Longstreet, 126; Rico, 122; Lord Harry, 107; Lizzie, 102.

Seventh race, one mile and one sixteenth, selling, on turf—Cyril, 108; Abner, 107; King, Little Jim, Gettysburg, Varde, 121; Humdum, 119; Vintage Time (filly), 105; Atlantic, 90.

Weather clear and the track fast.

MORRIS PARK.

The races at Morris Park yesterday resulted as follows:

First race, seven furlongs—India Rubber first, Walcott second, Flavia third. Time, 1:57.

Second race, nine furlongs—Lanceland first, Missie second. Only two starters. Time, 1:57.

Third race, one mile—L'Intrigue first, India Rubber second, Trinity third. Time, 1:41.

Fourth race, six furlongs—Dr. Wilcox first, Disappointment second, Arnold third. Time, 1:24.

Fifth race, one mile—Kingston first, Surplus second, Punter third. Time, 1:43.

Sixth race, six furlongs—Cyril first, King Cynwure first, Toot second, Lynn third. Time, 1:35.

Second heat—Cynwure first, Lynn second, Blue Jeans third. Time, 1:35.

ST. LOUIS.

Summaries of yesterday's races:

First race, one mile and fifty yards—Romp first, John Irwin second, Silver King third. Time, 1:40.

Second race, five furlongs—Minnie L. first, Frank Kenney second, Orville third. Time, 1:24.

Third race, one mile—Ethel Gray first, Faithful second, Rorka third. Time, 1:42.

Fourth race, one mile and seventy yards—John D. first, McCarvin second, Annie May third. Time, 1:50.

Fifth race, nine furlongs—Shibboleth first, Gloekner second, Guide third. Time, 1:55.

Sixth race, one mile—Michael first, Whitebrook second, Balgown third. Time, 1:45.

The third race was for the "Bakers" and brokers' stakes for three-year-olds.

their score up to a tie. In the eleventh Cincinnati made four and won. Score:

Cincinnati.....3 0 2 0 1 0 0 0 1 0 1 3 7 8  
Brooklyn.....2 0 0 1 0 0 1 0 5 0 0 9 9 9  
Batteries: Mullane and Harrington; Terry and Kinslow. Umpire, McGuinn. Eleven innings.

New York, June 15.—The blistering sun today laid out Honan in the fourth inning, and had its effect on all the players, and they played with little spirit in consequence. The New Yorks pounded Hutchinson hard all through the game, but the finish was close. Score:

New Yorks.....3 1 0 4 2 3 0 0 1 14 19 2  
Chicago.....0 2 0 0 0 0 6 1 1 13 16 1  
Batteries: Keefe, Welch and Buckley; Hutchinson, Honan and Anson. Umpire, Powers.

ASSOCIATION GAMES.

At Washington: R. N. H. E.  
Washingtons.....1 0 0 0 2 2 1 0 7 8 4  
Boston.....0 5 4 5 0 3 4 1 21 17 8  
Batteries: Miller and McGuire; O'Brien and Murphy. Umpire, Koss.

At Baltimore: Six innings—called on account of rain. R. N. H. E.  
Athletics.....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 1  
Baltimore.....0 0 0 1 0 0 0 1 0 0  
Batteries: Weyhing and Cross; McMahon and Robinson. Umpire, Ferguson.

HOW THE CLUBS STAND.

W. L. A. S. W. L.  
New York.....25 18 Boston.....31 18  
Chicago.....25 18 St. Louis.....31 20  
Boston.....34 21 Baltimore.....31 20  
Brooklyn.....25 18 Cincinnati.....31 20  
Philadelphia.....21 20 Athletics.....23 20  
Pittsburg.....18 20 Louisville.....23 23  
Cincinnati.....19 27 Washington.....13 34

ONLY TWO INNINGS.

Mr. Charles Donati Appeared on the Scene and the Players Leave.

Two base-ball teams, composed of colored youths, gained an entrance into Island Park Sunday afternoon and began an interesting game of the national sport. Some one telephoned Mr. Charles Donati, one of the owners of the park, and that individual was quickly moved, and the heavy battle had been played was just in the act of stealing second, when the eighteen players and the fifty spectators caught sight of the owner, and every one at once made a wild rush for the gate. Mr. Donati carried three or four corners and then proceeded to pick up the coats and shoes lying near the home plate. These he brought to Richmond amidst the heart-rending appeals of the negroes, and the latter finally took up a collection and took their clothing out of "hew."

Mr. Donati was fined some time ago for his ball club playing on Sunday, and he is determined that no team shall play on his grounds on that day.

Only a Base-Ball Game.

Only an umpire with views of his own. Only decisions that make the crowd groan; Only a crowd of spectators to witness; Only an oath that the home captain cursed.

Only a row with the players all mixed, Only a clattering shower of bricks; Only a bursting of wastebags and pants, Only a cry of "Police! Ambulance!"

Only a group in the court-room, down town, Only a justice with winking frown; Only a lot of disappointed fellows; Only the verdict—"The costs and ten dollars."

—THE MAN ABOUT TOWN.

MORTUARY REPORT.

There Were Thirty-seven Deaths in Richmond Last Week.

The report of the Health Committee for the week ending June 13th shows the whole number of deaths to be 37—19 white and 18 colored. Still-born, 3 white and 5 colored. Annual rate of mortality per 1,000—white, 21.02 colored, 24.63; total, 33.05.

Cause of Death—Asthma, 1 colored; apoplexy, 1 white; bright's disease, 1 white; cholera, 1 white; cholera infantum, 1 white; cholera morbus, 1 colored; consumption, 2 white and 3 colored; convulsions, 2 colored; cystitis, chronic, 1 colored; debility, general, 1 colored; diphtheria, 1 colored; dysentery, 1 colored; enteric colitis, 1 colored; erysipelas, 1 white; fever, rheumatic, 1 colored; fever, typhoid, 1 white; gastritis, 1 white; gastro-enteritis, 1 white; heart disease, 2 colored; inflammation of the bowels, 1 white; liver disease, 1 white; mania, 1 white; measles, 1 white and 2 colored; nervous disease, 1 white; non viable, 1 white; puerperal convulsions, 1 colored; pyemia, 1 white; unknown, 1 colored.

Then by wards they are as follows: Marshall ward, 3 white and 6 colored; Madison ward, 1 white and 1 colored; Clay ward, 3 white and 1 colored; almshouse, 4 white; Jefferson ward, 4 white and 2 colored; Monroe ward, 3 white and 1 colored; Jackson ward, 5 white and 3 colored.

By ages they are: One day to thirty, 1 white and 2 colored; one month to six, 2 white and 1 colored; six months to twelve, 3 white and 1 colored; five years to ten, 1 colored; ten years to twenty, 1 white; twenty years to thirty, 3 colored; thirty years to forty, 1 white and 2 colored; forty years to fifty, 1 white and 1 colored; fifty years to sixty, 2 white and 2 colored; sixty years to seventy, 4 white and 3 colored; seventy years to eighty, 3 white and 2 colored; eighty years to ninety, 1 white; average age, thirty-eight years.

Number of visits made by physicians for pneumonia: First district, 30; Second district, 103; Third district, 43; Fourth district, 33.

Interesting Masonic Notes.

Richmond Commandery, No. 2, will hold its annual election for election of officers next Wednesday evening.

Richmond Randolph Lodge, No. 19, will meet at the old hall to-night.

Amity Lodge, No. 76, meets at Laube's Hall to-night.

Washington Royal Arch Chapter, No. 9, meet at St. Alban's Hall to-night.

Libertas Lodge of Perfection, No. 5, Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite of Freemasonry, met last evening at St. Alban's Hall and a reception was served at 10:30 o'clock.

This was the last regular meeting of the Lodge until the third Monday in September, but there may be one or two called meetings this month to finish up the degrees of this body. St. Omar Council of Radoah, No. 1, will meet on Monday, June 22d, to confer the Thirtieth degree in full.

Ghost Dance in Henrico.

The annual sun-dance of the Powhatan tribes will be held at the wigwam of Big Chief Belvin on the first sun of the seventh moon.

"All the warriors," says one of the great braves, "will be there in war paint and eagle feathers. The battle-sound will be sung, feats of horsemanship exhibited, and Indian games indulged in. A special feature of the gathering will be war-dances by the braves who gained the victory over the Blackett, a tribe of Indians who have hitherto infested and pillaged the prairies of Henrico."

Memorial Services.

Unity Lodge, Independent Order of Odd-Fellows, held a memorial service at Fulton Baptist church Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Rev. D. Edwards, Mr. George B. Davis and Mr. Hill Montague delivered addresses.

THE ROWE OYSTER CASE.

Judge Evans Reverses the County Court Decision—Other Matters.